

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

This paper is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed June 18, 2008. Please consider the amended claim set, which is thought to now be in compliance.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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